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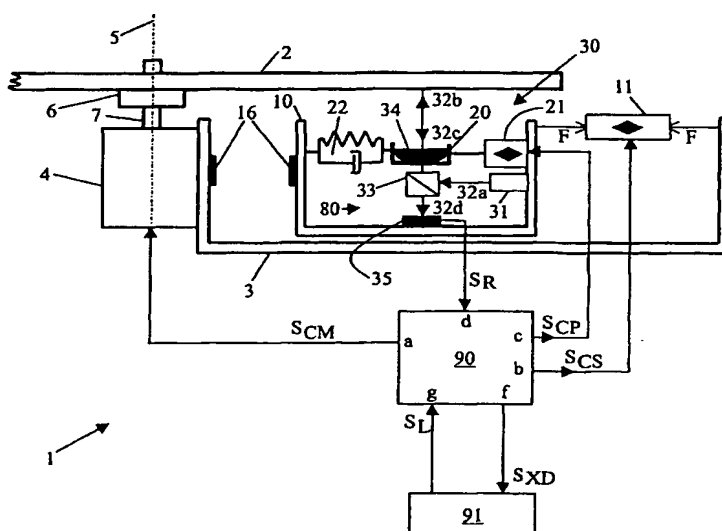
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(54) Title: DISC DRIVE APPARATUS



(57) Abstract: A disc drive apparatus (1) comprises a sledge (10) radially displaceable with respect to an apparatus frame (3); a platform (20) radially displaceable with respect to said sledge (10); a controllable sledge actuator (11) for moving the sledge (10) radially with respect to said apparatus frame (3); a control unit (90) for controlling said sledge actuator (11); a sledge stop detection means capable of detecting that the moving sledge (10) comes to a standstill. Said sledge stop detection means comprises radial displacement detection means for detecting a radial displacement of said platform (20) with respect to said sledge (10). Said control unit (90) receives an input signal (SXD) from said sledge stop detection means and is responsive to said input signal to switch off said sledge actuator (11) when said input signal (SXD) indicates that said moving sledge (10) has come to a standstill.